

SEC. 2. That this act shall be in force from and after its ratification.

In the general assembly read three times, and ratified this the 6th day of March, A. D. 1883.

CHAPTER 226.

[An act to divide North Carolina into nine congressional districts.]

The General Assembly of North Carolina do enact :

State divided into
nine congressional
districts.

SECTION 1. That for the purpose of selecting representatives to the congress of the United States, the state of North Carolina shall be divided into nine districts, as follows :

First district,¹

First District—Beaufort, Camden, Carteret, Chowan, Currituck, Dare, Gates, Hertford, Hyde, Martin, Pamlico, Pasquotank, Perquimans, Pitt, Tyrrell and Washington.

Second district.

Second District—Bertie, Craven, Edgecombe, Greene, Halifax, Jones, Lenoir, Northampton, Vance, Warren and Wilson.

Third district.

Third District—Bladen, Cumberland, Duplin, Harnett, Moore, Onslow, Pender, Sampson and Wayne.

Fourth district.

Fourth District—Alamance, Chatham, Durham, Franklin, Johnston, Nash, Orange and Wake.

Fifth district.

Fifth District—Caswell, Forsyth, Granville, Guilford, Person, Rockingham, Stokes and Surry.

Sixth district.

Sixth District—Anson, Brunswick, Cabarrus, Columbus, Mecklenburg, New Hanover, Richmond, Robeson, Stanly and Union.

Seventh district.

Seventh District—Catawba, Davidson, Davie, Iredell, Montgomery, Randolph, Rowan and Yadkin.

Eighth district.

Eighth District—Alexander, Alleghany, Ashe, Burke, Caldwell, Cleveland, Gaston, Lincoln, Watauga and Wilkes.